



Special Council Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 4, 2019 5:00 PM

County of Essex, Committee Room C

360 Fairview Avenue West, Essex, Ontario

1. Roll Call

Present:

- Mayor Larry Snively
- Deputy Mayor Richard Meloche
- Ward 1 Councillor Joe Garon
- Ward 1 Councillor Morley Bowman
- Ward 2 Kim Verbeek
- Ward 3 Councillor Chris Vander Doelen
- Ward 3 Councillor Steve Bjorkman
- Ward 4 Councillor Sherry Bondy

Also Present:

- Chris Nepszy Chief Administrative Officer
- Doug Sweet, Director, Community Services/Deputy CAO
- Jeffrey Morrison, Director, Corporate Services/Treasurer
- Lori Chadwick, Director, Development Services
- Robert Auger, Town Solicitor, Legal and Legislative Services/Clerk
- Shelley Brown, Deputy Clerk, Legal and Legislative Services

2. Declarations of Conflict of Interest

No declaration was made.

3. Adoption of Published Agenda

Special Council Meeting Agenda

Moved by Councillor Vander Doelen

Seconded by Councillor Bowman

(SP19-11-001) That the published agenda for the November 4, 2019 Special Council Meeting be adopted as presented.

4. Reports from Administration

Streetscape Projects

Nelson Silveria, Economic Development Officer provided a presentation to council regarding the Town of Essex Streetscape Projects in Essex and Harrow Centre. Mr. Silveria provided an overview of the plans, the expected project budget and expected timelines.

Moved by Councillor Garon

Seconded by Councillor Vander Doelen

(SP19-11-002) That the presentation entitled “Streetscape Projects”, presented by Nelson Silveria, Economic Development Officer, be received; and

Moved by Councillor Garon

Seconded by Councillor Vander Doelen

(SP19-11-003) That administration prepare a Report to Council outlining a detailed funding model and timeline for both Essex Centre and Harrow Centre Streetscape Projects.

5. Public Presentations

Moved by Councillor Bjorkman

Seconded by Councillor Verbeek

(SP19-11-004) That delegations be received from the floor.

Bill Baker, Harrow Chamber of Commerce

Mr. Baker stated that, on behalf of the Harrow Chamber of Commerce, he is in full support of the development.

Mike Jagatic, 1476 Border Crescent, Tecumseh

Mr. Jaqatic stated that understands that it is an increase in costing to residents however it is a long-term project with a long amortization and is a once in a lifetime project.

6. Adjournment

Moved by

Seconded by

(SP19-11-005) That the meeting be adjourned at 5:45.